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### (54) METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RELAYING EVENTS INTENDED FOR A FIRST APPLICATION PROGRAM TO A SECOND APPLICATION PROGRAM

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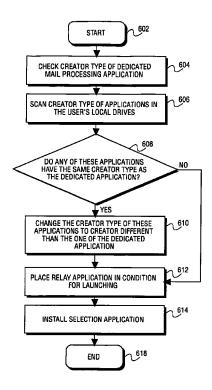
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#### (57) ABSTRACT

A method and apparatus for processing with a preferred processing application having a preferred identifier, an event associated with an object created by a dedicated creator application is provided. The method includes the steps of receiving the event, intercepting the event with a relay application program, and forwarding, with the relay application program, the intercepted event to the preferred processing application program.

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